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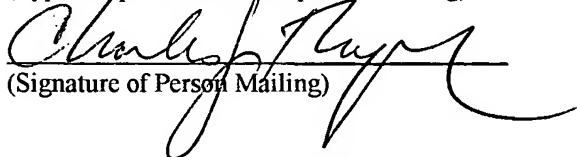
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement by telephone on January 25, 2005, the Applicant confirms the election made during the above telephone conversation and expressly elects without traverse the Group I, claims 1-5 drawn to a serpentine flexure, for prosecution on the merits in the present application.

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Reply dated April 8, 2005

Reply to Restriction Requirement of Jan. 25, 2005

However, claims 6-8 are dependent upon currently rejected claim 4. The Examiner will consider rejoinder of claims 6-8 if claim 4 is found to be allowable.

Furthermore, the Applicant expressly reserves the right to pursue the remaining
5 non-elected Groups II, claims 6-20 drawn to a moveable proof mass, in one or more additional Divisional applications.

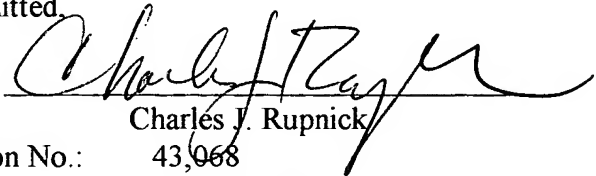
No Fee is believed due for this response. If a Fee is due, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number given below.

10 If the Examiner has questions or wish to discuss any aspect of this inquiry, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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